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## THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

### Southern Minister's View of the G. A. R. Incident in New York.

Rev. J. R. Deering, who was one of the most valiant of Confederate scouts, when asked by the Harrodsburg (Ky.) Democrat what he thought of the refusal of the Grand Army Republic people to endorse the marching in New York procession of ex-Confederates wearing the gray, replied:

"Well, I think we will survive it. Indeed, it suits us if it suits them. You know it was no affair of ours. The Confederates didn't ask or wish or expect such a thing. Nor do we see how it could possibly benefit us. It is not easy to imagine a Confederate veteran in any need of it. We are so conscious of our rectitude, so satisfied with our record, so sure of the vindication of posterity, that we are content. We have gained already so largely the world's admiration for principle, prowess, endurance, moderation, and moral worth that we are not wanting Grand Army of Republic favors. But we get honest tributes in every book they print, in every song they sing, in every eulogy they speak, in every monument they set up, in every pension they draw. They can't glorify themselves without witnessing to the patriotism, valor, and constancy of the southern people. They may not love us, but they are bound to respect us. We need not turn coats and go into the parade business. It does seem sad, however, that thirty years of peace have not grown enough generosity in our northern friends to afford this scant recognition of southern sincerity, heroism, and love of country. You know that is all that it could have been. And there is no possible peril to the Union—nor even an implication of bad intention—in the gray uniform or its battle-scarred wearers."

"Will the official correspondence end matters?" asked the reporter.

"Of course, Confederates can't now join the procession. Self-respect forbids. To cast off the coat he wore and disown the flag that he fought under—that bears the names, Manassas, Gaines' Mills, Cold Harbor, Shiloh, Chickamauga, Franklin, Chancellorsville, Fredericksburg, Gettysburg—the flag wet with the tears of fair women and stained a deeper red with the blood of our bravest—to expect the old soldier to do that to get to march with those people—is to expect the impossible. In all the country, and in thirty years of public life, I have met but one man that I think was sorry enough to do that. It's only southern sentiment, of course, but there's lots of it, I tell you!"

"Will it not be said that the old rebels lack love of country and for the old flag?" asked the reporter.

"No! Their loyalty is like Caesar's wife—has not been questioned. They love the country, the country, as much as ever. They love Dixie better than ever. Fire and sword, pillage and poverty, and political subjection have made her doubly dear; when we forget her may God forget us! We try to love the Grand Army of the Republic men, but such slurs don't aid us much. Isn't it strange, by the way, that this bitterness belongs to the victors rather than the vanquished? No such spirit lurked in the invitation made by the Confederates two years ago at their great reunion in Birmingham, to the Grand Army of the Republic men to meet us in Atlanta—the city sacked and burned by them in 1864. There was no wish to see them wear our uniform or cast away their blue clothes, when they came last fall to our southern Louisville. They wore the garb in which they fought, for they marched in the character of Federal soldiers, not Confederate soldiers must march in some other costume or not at all? Very well! We can stand the snubbing. The day isn't far distant when all men of soul; who admire valor and love liberty, who love patriotism and respect devotion to duty—all who are true to moral worth and venerate good citizenship; all who appreciate the sublime in self-sacrifice for polit-

ical principle—when all who stand for the right of local self-government will exalt the men of the South, and uncover their heads in honor of our stainless Davis, our sainted Polk, our dauntless Simms, our terrible Forrest, our modest Ashby, our mighty Jackson, our knightly Johnston, our gallant Pelham, our peerless Lee. They are as worthy as our Henry and Jefferson, our Marion and Washington. The same land gave them birth, holds their ashes and guards their fame. We can wait.

### Handsome Furniture.

The handsomest store fixtures we have seen for a long while is the wall case just put in by the Chiles, Thompson Grocery Company. It is made of quartered oak—highly polished—with a large mirror in the center and three small ornamental mirrors in the top. The case is for the display of tobacco, and adds much to the attractiveness of their already very handsome store room.

Mr. William A. Lindsey, of Lexington, died at his home on Sunday evening. Mr. Lindsey was a brother-in-law of Joe C. and M. A. Scott, of this city. Funeral to-day.

## SILVER AND PROTECTION.

### No Importance Attached to the Conference in Washington.

Congressmen and politicians generally are not inclined to regard the conference of silver Republicans and manufacturers at Washington as important, or as indicating a change of policy on the part of Congress with regard to the tariff or financial question. Indeed, many of the most prominent silver Republicans in the Senate and House had no knowledge of the meeting of the conference and had not been consulted as to its plans. The most influential Republican who took part in it is Senator Teller, and even he does not claim that anything will come of it in the way of change in the legislative programme. The Tariff bill of the House of Representatives is dead, and nothing can bring it back to life during the present Congress.

As a result of the meeting of the manufacturers and silverites, however, there has been renewed consultations as to the course to be pursued by the silver Republicans at the St. Louis Convention. It is no secret among his friends that Senator Teller, the real leader of the silver party in Con-

## The Beiderwolf Evangelistic Services.

Rev. W. E. Beiderwolf, assisted in the song service by Mr. J. A. Allison, both of Indiana, have been in our midst conducting co-operative services since the evening of the 18th instant. From the first service Mr. Beiderwolf has gained a strong hold on our people through the Christian-like manner, unquestioned piety, and the clear, able exposition of God's word. While he preaches from the same texts and tells the same truths that we have heard since childhood, still the earnestness with which he presents these texts and truths fasten in the hearts and minds of his hearers so deeply that great good is being accomplished already from his visit to our city.

Last Sunday evening the attendance was so large that the Opera House had to be secured, where about one thousand souls assembled to hear this eminent divine. There have been selected from our church members about thirty ushers and assistants, and nearly twenty-five ladies and gentlemen com-

## THE M'BRAYEY DISTILLERY CO.

### Made Its First Mash Saturday and Will Make 27,000 Gallons Per Day.

The McBrayer Distilling Co. started up here last week. They will run during the season—three months. They have a roller mill which grinds 125 bushels of corn per hour, eight fermenting tubs with capacity of 14,000 gallons each, or 112,000 gallons. Their make will be 603½ bushels per day, and the daily production will be 2,700 gallons of whisky, or 243,000 gallons during this run. Their pay roll to employees will be \$825 per week, and the cost in running the distillery will be not less than \$1,000 per day.

The slop from the distillery, instead of being disposed of as heretofore by forcing it over the hill, will be shipped down the railroad and disposed of for fertilizer, it being the finest fertilizer known. In addition to this the company will run a cooper shop, working a force of twenty-five hands and turning out sixty barrels per day. We are glad there will be no kick coming from the disposition of the slop since it will be taken to Thompson Station.

The distillery is under the management of W. B. Johnson, who began in this business when a boy fifteen years old at 50c per day, and has held every position known to the business, from the beginning to Superintendent.

The company has been reorganized and is now owned by Mr. John Meagher and Major L. C. Norman, of Frankfort, and S. H. May, of New York; Mr. Meagher being the only member of the old firm who is connected with the new one. Major L. C. Norman is President, S. H. May, Vice President, and John Meagher, Secretary and Treasurer.

### To Bore Glass.

Strong glass plates are bored through by means of rotating brass tubes of the necessary diameter, which are filled with water during boring. To the water there is added finely pulverized emery. The boring cylinder is put into motion by means of a drill or bow drill. Weaker glass can be provided with holes in an easier manner by pressing a disk of wet clay upon the glass and making a hole through the clay of the width desired, so that the glass is laid bare here. Then molten lead is poured into the hole and lead and glass drop down at once. This method is based upon the quick, local heating of the glass, whereby it obtains a circular crack, the outline of which corresponds to the outline of the hole made in the clay. The cutting of glass tubes, cylinders, etc., in the factories is based upon the same principle, says a Pittsburg paper called China, Glass and Lamps.—(Scientific American.)

Rev. J. E. Wright, pastor at Nicholasville, thus speaks of Rev. Mr. Vaught in the Central Methodist:

"We have had an interesting protracted meeting, which closed on Feb. 7. We are indebted to Rev. J. O. A. Vaught, of Versailles, for two excellent sermons a day for twelve days. His discourses were so plain that all, even children, understood them. Young and old alike were edified by his preaching. His appeals to sinners were persuasive and strong. The church and community were highly pleased with brother Vaught as a preacher and a Christian gentleman."

Mr. Vaught will begin a meeting at the M. E. Church, South, in this city as soon as the meeting now going on at the First Presbyterian church closes. It is hoped that the good work of religious revival will thus be deepened and broadened in the community. Let the good feeling existing between the churches be illustrated by general attendance upon these services.

## Enoch's BARGAIN HOUSE

### Carpets

We have them from 12 1-2 to the very best Velvets. Big line of BRUSSELS and All-Wool Carpets at prices that has never been heard of before.

### Cook Stoves.

We have the finest line we have ever shown, and we guarantee the backs for five years. Every one that burns out before that time, we replace for nothing.

### Wall Paper.

We have just received a full line of New Spring Styles of over 10,000 Bolts. Come and look before you buy.

WE WILL QUOTE YOU A FEW PRICES ON OUR MANY

### Bargains.

Tobacco Cotton, 1c a yard.  
Window Blinds, 15c each.  
3 Tin Cups, 5c.  
Wall Paper, 3c a bolt.  
Large Wash Pans, 5c.  
36 Clothes Pins, 5c.  
Wood Fib. Bucket, large size 30c.  
Wooden Buckets, 10c.  
Lamp Chimneys, 3c.  
200 Parlor Matches, 1c.  
Carpet Tacks, 1c a box, 10c doz.  
2-Gal. Tin Buckets, 10c.  
Table Oil Cloth, 15c a yard.  
Floor Oil Cloth, 18c a yard.  
Butter Milk Soap, 3c a cake.  
Nice Framed Pictures, 8x10, 15c.  
Good Lanters, 25c.  
Nice decorated Cups and Saucers, 50c a set.  
2-lbs Mixed Nails, 5c, sizes 2s to 20s.  
Best Crank Flour Sieve, 10c.

## ENOCH'S Bargain House,

Reese Building, Mt. Sterling.

### REUNION OF UNITED

Confederate Veterans, Richmond, Va.—Reduced Rates Via Southern R. R.

For the occasion of the Sixth Annual Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which occurs at Richmond, Va., June 30 to July 2, 1896, Southern Railway will sell tickets to Richmond, Va., and return at very low rates. The dates of sale and limits will be announced later. Call on any Southern Railway Agent for further information. 34-11y

We sell best lump coal in Mt. Sterling at 10c per bushel.  
35-4t T. D. CASSIDY & Co.

Be sure to see us. We are headquarters for saddles, harness and plow gear. Our prices are right, and goods are the very best.

OWEN LAUGHLIN & SON,  
34-2t South Maysville street.

### Consumption can be Cured.

By the use of Shiloh's Cure. This great Cough cure is the only known remedy for that terrible disease. For sale by Thomas Kennedy.

### For Sale.

A pair of mare mules. Some new Poland China hogs. I also want to buy corn.  
35-1t MRS. ELIZA MARSHALL.

## Feet Wet Again?

You'll die some day—before long, too, if you don't take care of those feet. Some of the newest, most desirable things in Spring Shoes are here. Our \$3.00 Shoes are extra values. Cheaper ones if you want them.

### Denton, Guthrie & Co.,

Corner Main and Maysville Sts.,  
MT. STERLING, KY.

### Are You One

Of those unhappy people who are suffering with weak nerves, starting at every slight sound, unable to endure any unusual disturbance, finding it impossible to sleep? Avoid opiate and nerve compounds. Feed the nerves upon blood made pure and nourishing by the great blood purifier and true nerve tonic, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, prevent constipation. 25c.

### Keep a Scrapbook.

The Keystone gives some practical directions. Every merchant should keep a scrapbook. This suggestion has been made before, but it is fully worth emphasizing. Every bright advertisement that you notice in your local paper or those of other towns; every model advertisement that you observe in your trade paper, and every practical trade-bringing plan or hint, should be cut out and pasted in the book, with full data as to the name and date of the paper. You will find such a book as this an inexhaustible treasure of riches, especially on those days when your ideas run scarce, and you are too busy to take time to evolve a good advertisement.

gress, is somewhat disposed to advise a bolt from the Republican party and the organization of a silver party and the nomination of its own Presidential candidate. The Senator and his silver friends have the question of their future action under advisement, and it is thought that at an early day an announcement will be made as to whether the silver Republicans intend to desert their party and set up a platform and candidates of their own, or whether they will remain within the party organization and make the free silver fight as Republicans. At present the indications are that if the Republican Convention refuses to embody in its platform a declaration favorable to silver, the silver men will bolt and hold a convention of their own.

### Smith and Shroat.

Is the firm name of the new lively sale stable which will be opened April 1st. The gentlemen composing this firm are Dick Smith and Wm. Shroat, each of whom being business men, is a guarantee that they will have the best turn-outs and keep the finest stable. They have leased the brick stable on South Maysville street.

pose the choir. With good preaching and service twice a day until after next Sunday, we shall pray for a great spiritual blessing in our community, besides the up-building of the different churches and their membership.

At the services last Sunday afternoon and evening there were about eighty-six cards signed by those expressing a desire to "henceforth lead a Christian life."

The services for the week will be as follows: At 2 p. m. the ladies' prayer-meeting; at 3 p. m. the regular afternoon service, and evening service will be held at 7 p. m., at First Presbyterian Church.

Ushers and assistants are expected to be on hands promptly at 6:20 every evening.

The jury in the George Delaney case at Morganfield for shooting Miss Oliver found him guilty of manslaughter and gave him six years in the penitentiary.

G. M. Whitten, ex-Police Judge of Catlettsburg, has been missing since March 14, and foul play is suspected.